## **Listing of Claims**

- 1. (currently amended) A substrate cleaning tool for cleaning a substrate, comprising:
- a plurality of <u>flexible</u> thready <del>brush</del> members in a bundle, the <del>brush</del> members each having a hollow channel; said brush members and being comprised of a water permeable material.
- 2. (canceled)
- 3. (original) A substrate cleaning tool as claimed in Claim 1, wherein the substrate cleaning tool is capable of rotating against the substrate.
- 4. (canceled)
- 5. (currently amended) A substrate cleaning tool as claimed in Claim 1, wherein each of said brush members have has a number of channels extending from the hollow channel.
- 6. (canceled)
- 7. (currently amended) A substrate cleaning tool as claimed in Claim 1, wherein the brush members comprise a hydrophilic material.
- 8. (currently amended) A substrate cleaning tool as claimed in Claim 1, wherein the brush members extend straight and have their respective one ends tied up in a bundle and are mounted on a body for holding the brush members, the body having a cleaning liquid passage for supplying the cleaning liquid to the brush members.

9. (canceled)

10. (currently amended) A substrate cleaning tool as claimed in Claim 8, wherein the brush

members have long elements and short elements.

11. (canceled)

12. (currently amended) A substrate cleaning tool for cleaning a substrate, comprising:

a plurality of flexible thready brush members in a bundle, said brush the members each

having a hollow channel; said brush members and having a number of channels extending from

the hollow channel, ; said brush the members being formed so as to be comprised of a water-

repellent material.

13. (currently amended) A substrate cleaning apparatus comprising:

a substrate cleaning tool having a plurality of <u>flexible</u> thready <del>brush</del> members in a bundle,

the brush members comprised of a water permeable material and each having a hollow channel

each having a hollow channel and being comprised of a water permeable material;

a scrub arm for holding the substrate cleaning tool; and

a holder for holding a substrate to be cleaned by the substrate cleaning tool.

14. (original) A substrate cleaning apparatus as claimed in Claim 13, wherein the scrub arm is

provided with a driving mechanism for driving the substrate cleaning tool.

15. (original) A substrate cleaning apparatus as claimed in Claim 14, wherein the driving

mechanism moves the substrate cleaning tool up and down.

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16. (original) A substrate cleaning apparatus as claimed in Claim 14, wherein the driving

mechanism rotates the substrate cleaning tool.

17. (currently amended) A substrate cleaning apparatus as claimed in Claim 14, wherein the

driving mechanism moves the substrate cleaning tool up and down and also rotates the substrate

cleaning tool, the driving mechanism being provided with an elevator shaft being moved up and

down and rotated, the elevator shaft being provided with a cleaning liquid passage therethrough

for supplying the cleaning liquid to the substrate cleaning tool and being provided with a body at

a lower end thereof, the brush members extending straight and having their respective one ends

tied up in a bundle and mounted on the body.

18. (original) A substrate cleaning apparatus as claimed in Claim 13, wherein the holder holds

the substrate rotatably.

19. (original) A substrate cleaning apparatus as claimed in Claim 13, further comprising a

nozzle for ejecting cleaning liquid for rinsing.

20. (currently amended) A substrate cleaning apparatus comprising:

a substrate cleaning tool having a plurality of flexible thready brush members in a bundle,

the brush members each having a hollow channel and having a number of channels extending

from the hollow channel, the members being comprised of a water impermeable material having

a hollow channel and a plurality of channels from the hollow channel to a surface;

a scrub arm for holding the substrate cleaning tool; and

a holder for holding a substrate to be cleaned by the substrate cleaning tool.

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